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Attorney Docket No. IR 3663 CIP

PATENT

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

**TYPE OF DECLARATION**

This declaration is of the following type:

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**INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION**

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**TITLE OF INVENTION**

TRIARYSILYL (METH) ACRYLOYL-CONTAINING POLYMERS FOR MARINE COATING COMPOSITIONS

**SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION**

The Specification of which:

Was filed on November 10, 2003 as Serial No. 10/705,693 or Express Mail No., as Serial No. not yet known \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR**

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations 1.56.

- In compliance with this duty there is attached an information disclosure statement. 37 CFR 1.97.

**PRIORITY CLAIM**

I hereby claim the benefit, under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120, of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

- no such applications have been filed.  
 such applications have been filed as follows.

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Date of Filing</u>	<u>Pending</u>	<u>Status</u> <u>Abandoned</u>
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ALL FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY FILED MORE THAN 12 MONTHS (6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S) (34 U.S.C. 119(e)).

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Codes, 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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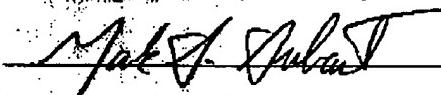
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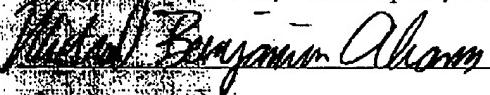
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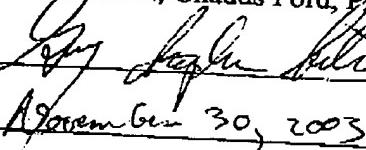
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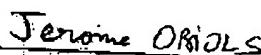
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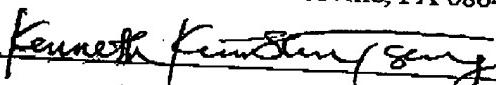
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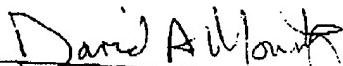
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